

Amendment - Ser. No. 10/601,727

May 10, 2005

Page 11

REMARKS

Claim 26 has been amended to address the 35 U.S.C. § 112 issue identified by the Examiner. A Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steven M. Haas", followed by a horizontal line.

Steven M. Haas (Reg. No. 37,841)
Fay, Sharpe, Fagan, Minnich & McKee, LLP
1100 Superior Avenue - Seventh Floor
Cleveland, OH 44114-2518
Telephone (216)861-5582